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#  Dromahair – Killargue - Newtownmanor

# Sunday 24th February 2019 – 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Lourdes Invalid Fund Collection – 2019**

**The Bi Annual Lourdes Invalid Fund Collection will be taken up after Holy Communion in all three churches in the parish this weekend - Saturday 23rd & Sunday 24th February.** This collection helps to fund the costs of assisted pilgrims on our annual Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. *Please support this very worthy cause.*

**Wednesday 6th March is Ash Wednesday, a day of Fast & Abstinence & the start of the Season of Lent.** There will be early morning Mass with Distribution of Ashes in Dromahair at 7.00am. Mass times for Ash Wednesday are as follows: Dromahair – 7.00am & 8.00pm; Killargue – 7.00pm: Newtownmanor – 7.00pm.

**Church Notices:**

1. **Altar Servers for Dromahair in March 2019 – Group 5.**

*Parents please note, if your child is unable to serve at Mass on any of the assigned dates, please arrange a replacement.*

1. **Confirmation for the children of Drumlease N.S. & Leckaun N.S.,** will take place in St. Patrick’s Church, Dromahair, on Sunday 12th May 2019 at 3.00pm.
2. **First Communion for the children from Drumlease N.S.,** will take place on Saturday 25th May 2019 at 11.00am in St. Patrick’s Church, Dromahair.
3. **AA – Alcoholics Anonymous Public Meeting – Friday.**
4. **Friday next is the First Friday:** The sick and housebound will be visited as usual.
5. *Pray for:*

**Tom Steward**, Glenfarne and late of Belcoo **(father of Geraldine Feehily & Nuala Hampson, Dromahair),** whose funeral took place on Saturday 9th February.

**ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH, DROMAHAIR**

1. **Mass**: Monday at 9.30am;Tuesday at 9.30am; Wednesday at 9.30am; Friday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 11.15am.
2. *Pray for:*

**Sean Clinton,** Kilcoosey, his parents **Annie & John,** Mass on Sunday 24th February at 11.15am.

**The People of the Parish,** Mass on Monday 25th February at 9.30am.

**Intentions of the Donor,** Mass on Tuesday 26th February at 9.30am.

**Peggy & Jeoffrey McTernan, Drumlease,** Mass on Wednesday 27th February at 9.30am.

**Sarah & Hugh Brennan,** Mass on Friday 1st March at 8.00pm.

**Justin Stanford,** Main Street**,** Artane, Dublin**,** Mass on Sunday 3rd March at 11.15am.

***May they Rest in Peace.***

1. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Sadie & Maria Foley; Collectors - Michael McGoldrick, Frank McGowan & Bernadette

Conlon; Altar Society - Betty Purvis & Susan Kivlehan.

**CHURCH OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, NEWTOWNMANOR**

1. **Mass**: Thursday at 8.00pm; Sunday at 10.00am.
2. *Pray for:*

**Kate & Alec Johnston,** Magurk,Mass on Sunday 24th February at 10.00am.

**Intentions of the Donor,** Mass on Thursday 28th February at 8.00pm.

**Michael Cunningham,** late of Fawnlion & Dundrum,Mass on Sunday 3rd March at 10.00am.

***May they Rest in Peace.***

1. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Eileen & Patricia Cunningham; Collectors - Seamus Fowley & Cathal O'Conallain;

Altar Society - Bernadette & Hazel Boylan.

 **ST. BRIGID’S CHURCH, KILLARGUE**

1. **Mass:** Monday at 7.00pm;Saturday at 11.00am & (Vigil Mass) at 7.00pm.
2. *Pray for:*

**Margaret Sheridan,** Carrickoghill,1St Anniv. Mass on Saturday 23rd February at 7.00pm.

**Mattie & Delia Sheridan,** Gortermone, Anniv. Mass on Monday 25th February at 7.00pm.

**Edmund Hamilton, his parents James & Josephine & his deceased brothers & sisters,** Corrasra, Mass on Saturday 2nd March at 11.00am.

**Anna Higgins & deceased family members,** Gortnacarkogue, Anniv. Mass on Saturday 2nd March at 7.00pm.

***May they Rest in Peace.***

1. **Liturgy for March:** Readers – Pauric Cullen & Carmel Loughlin; Collectors - Dessie Hannon, Vincent Feeney & Hughie

Harte. Altar Society - Josie Feeney.

**Community Notices:**

1. **Bingo Every Monday at 9.00pm in The Blue Devon:** All lines €30 except games 5 &10 which are €50.All houses €100 andlast game €200.*Your support is much appreciated.*
2. **Clothing collection facility in The Depot Gate.** Open all day, every day. New and used clean clothing, shoes (pairs, clean), handbags & leather belts, blankets, sheets & pillow cases, soft toys, teddys - no batteries. **No duvets, pillows or cushions**.
3. **Deadline for Notices for the Parish Bulletin:** 12.00noon on Thursdays. Email: [drumahaire@kilmorediocese.ie](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CJohn%20McMorrow%5CDropbox%5CParish%5Cdrumahaire%40kilmorediocese.ie)
4. **Garda Community Information Centre;** opening in **The Depot every Monday from 2pm-4pm - except Bank Holidays.** General Garda Services and Information will be provided. This is a pilot scheme and its success depend on the support of the public. Please use the service when it’s made available locally.
5. **Dromahair Library – Opening Hours:** Tues 12.30pm-6.00pm Fri 2.30pm – 8.00pm (Closed - mini break both days 4pm to 4.30pm). **Dromahair Library are hosting a Talk - An Overview of Arthritis and Pain Management by Helen Reynolds, Nurse Specialist, Rheumatology Dept, Manorhamilton Hospital.** The talk will cover an overview of general management, including pain management associated with Arthritis. **Tuesday 26th February at 6.00pm.**
6. **NW STOP (formerly STOP Suicide) provide FREE counselling:** Contact 086 777 2009 or 1850 211 877, if you or someone you know needs help.
7. **Day of Reflection on Caring for the Earth our Common Home:** A Day of Reflection on care for the earth and connecting spiritually with mother nature from a Christian perspective will be held in the **Pastoral Centre, Cavan, on Tuesday 5 March 2019 from 11am-4pm.**The day will be facilitated by Sr Nellie McLoughlin, a well-known speaker and author. Tea/coffee will be provided at 11am. Lunch 1-2.30 (bring a packed lunch or go into town) Voluntary donation collected on the day. To book a place phone the Pastoral Centre on 049-4375004 or email: pastoralcentre@kilmorediocese.ie. All welcome.
8. **Dromahair Development Association/Tidy Towns – AGM:** Will be held in ‘The Depot’ on Wednesday February 27th at 8.00pm. All welcome.
9. **Dromahair Active Age:** The group now meet on **Thursdays.** New members welcome. Contact Mary on 086 3408235.
10. **North Leitrim Macra Na Feirme Tractor Run:** Sunday 3rd of March. All proceeds going to the Paediatric Unit in Sligo General Hospital. Registration at 1pm, tractors leaving at 2pm. Departing from Drumkeeran Football Field.
11. **Play in Ballintogher Community Centre (Please note- rescheduled date);** on Friday 1st & Saturday 2nd March 2019 @ 8pm. Comedy - by Sam Cree, “Don’t Tell the Wife” by Wind Mill Players (West Sligo). Enquiries/Booking - Mary 087 9964143.
12. **Towards Peace is a service offering spiritual support to those who have experienced abuse perpetrated by Church personnel, individually or institutionally:** The vision of Towards Peace is to provide a safe supportive space for people and their families, whose spiritual life has been damaged by abuse. It is also a response to the continually growing understanding of the spiritual impact of the trauma of abuse. Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion. If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, Towards Peace is here for you: [www.towardspeace.ie](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CJohn%20McMorrow%5CDropbox%5CParish%5Cwww.towardspeace.ie) ; Tel: 01 505 3028; Mobile: 086 7710533. Up to twelve sessions are available and there is no fee.
13. **KNOCK SHRINE SOCIETY SEEKS VOLUNTEERS:** Knock Shrine Society is seeking new members to join Our Lady’s Volunteers to assist pilgrims who visit the Shrine. This opportunity is open to all men and women over 18 who wish to share their time and be of service to the Sick and Infirm and to assist in the Eucharistic and Liturgical services. For further information: Contact John Hynes, Knock Shrine at 087 6891422 or email: knockshrinesociety@gmail.com.
14. **Dromahair IFA:** Progressive 25 card game in the Clubhouse Sunday 3rd March @ 8.30pm. Prizes of cash and nuts.
15. **Gaelscoil Chluainín:** Enrolment for school year 2019-2020 is now underway. Please contact the school at 071 9856046 or at gaelscoilchluainin1@gmail.com to obtain an enrolment information pack and relevant forms. We look forward to meeting you all.

**Leckaun N.S. – Enrolment for September 2019:** Enrolment for 2019/20 is open since Monday 4th February 2019. Application forms are available for collection from the school by calling 071 9164569 or by email: info@leckaunns.ie

**Enrolment Packs for Drumlease N.S. for September 2019 are now available from the school:** Please contact the school at 071 9164586 or just call to the school.

**Open Evening** - for new enrollees and their parents on Wednesday 13th March from 2.30pm – 3.30pm, in the school.